



Adjacent Picnic Areas

East Flat Rock Park 2.2 miles

Turn right out of the visitor parking lot onto Little River Road. Turn right at traffic light and go south on Rt. 225, also called the Greenville Highway. At 0.1 mile, turn left at the traffic light onto West Blue Ridge Road and continue 1.9 miles to Highway 176. At the light continue straight. The picnic area is on the right. There is a covered pavillion with picnic tables, a playground, basketball court and walking paths. This park is administered by Henderson County Park and Recreation. For more information call, 1-828-697-4884.

Jackson Park 3.5 miles

Turn right out of the visitor parking lot onto Little River Road. Turn left at traffic light going north on Rt. 225, also called the Greenville Highway. Continue north into Hendersonville. After crossing over the railroad tracks get into the far right travel lane. Take a right onto Fourth Avenue. Continue straight on Fourth Avenue as it leads directly to the entrance of Jackson Park. There are numerous picnic tables and covered areas, restrooms, a playground, playing fields, a basketball court, tennis courts, and walking paths. This park is administered by Henderson County Park and Recreation. For more information call, 1-828-697-4884.

Patton Park 4.5 miles

Turn right out of the visitor parking lot onto Little River Road. Turn left at traffic light and go north on Rt. 225, also called the Greenville Highway. Continue north to Hendersonville. Crossing over the railroad tracks stay in the left travel lane and bear right at the fork, this is now King Street. Continue straight on King Street, cross over Rt. 64. This is now Rt. 25 north, also known as the Asheville Highway. Continue straight on Rt. 25 north staying in the right travel lane. After the intersection with Rt. 191, proceed one block and take a right at the next traffic light into Patton Park. There is a covered picnic area, a YMCA swimming facility, a playground, basketball courts, and walking paths. This park is administered by Henderson County Park and Recreation. For more information call, 1-828-697-4884.

Holmes State Educational Forest 10.5 miles

Turn left out of the visitor parking lot onto Little River Road. Follow Little River Road to the end. Take a left onto Crab Creek Road. Continue for approximately 7 miles on Crab Creek Road. Holmes State Forest is on the left. There is a covered picnic area, open green space, hiking trails, education programs and restrooms. Holmes State Forest is administered by the North Carolina Forest Service. For more information call, 1-828-692-0100 or visit their website at http://www.dfr.state.nc.us/esf/hesf/hesf_home.htm.

